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RADICAL BUT REPRESENTATIVE. Connecticut is commonly considered the most conservative State in the nation. The speeches of Governor Wil- public auction, at the son at Hartford and New Haven last week were, therefore, notable and significant, for he did not avail himself

devices for checking unrepresentative or undemocratic government. They displace representative institutions in the States, as experience has fully demonstrated.

Governor Wilson's views are moder ate in comparison with those of Roose welt and LaFollette. Unlike Roosevelt. the Democratic candidate does not advocate the recall of judicial decisions by popular vote. Unlike LaFollette, does not insist that the recall shall He has given evidence of his capacity to advance and to feel sympathetically the Democratic impulses of the people but as to the fundamentals of constitutional government he remains sound and wise. He believes that representative government is the best run, the swiftest and most efficient, although he believes at the same time that the people have a right to es-

sweeps the streets

A bishop says that a clergyman \$1,200, if married Does the church The success of the law will lie in earner and the consumer President know that \$1,000 a year would look like a fortune to the ordinary servant of God? The census shows that the met the minimum, note; and includes street-cleaner gets \$708 per year for eaving souls.

It will not do to say the minterer

ally with Sunday....... \$6.00 \$5.00 \$1.50 .50 the world an undivided front at home lets the mules do the work. and abroad."

Shall the minister starve because is of vast practical benefits and will

### MARKED DOWN TO 30 CENTS. The cay after Woodrow Wilson is

auction in Washington, the notice and SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1912. Thomas J. Wood, of Washington and Church Hill.

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sait River, inficant, for he did not avail himself of the politicians trick of adapting his pronouncements to the local at mosphere and proclaiming himself aconservative of conservatives. With the remarkable frankness that rings in every deliverance that ever fell from his lips, he preached to the people of the Nutmeg State the most radiogal for the Nutmeg State the

day when there will be no need to ing the tariff question from politics. the auctioneer be prophetic of the fate stretched to the breaking point by an ing. gone!"

HELP RECORD VITAL STATISTICS. Virginia's advance along public recognition before the International be applied to the Federal judiciary. Plecker, registrar of vital statistics per on the working of the new law.

children How shall her daily walk first can be overcome by education to convince the people that their rights of production theory. and conversation be full of grace and are being preserved by a record of consolation and high spiritual courage when her soul is not armored by noble points call only for a readjustment of the prescriptions, but fortured by the wracking winter because the average minister tie one wind be too little. The next can offer is a repetition of his previous less wages than the man who propriation for this new field of State

education. The people must be taught Taft's attitude on the tariff is hopethe need for correct figures on which less. He holds forth no measure of to have legal disputes and to show the relief. He is irrevocably committed health conditions of Virginia. For this to the reactionary policy of conferring an advanced and prosperous State like, end two builetins have been published favors and privileges upon special in-Wisconsin, the salary rate is \$700 This by the Health Department. It would dustrial interests. Probably the most the princely \$5,000 stipends of city, them and learn of what is being done pastors. In short, if the pastor gets to check up our wealth in lives as well

THE DRIVERLESS MULE. doing work that is surely important. Immemorial are the virtues of the ultra-conservative. His economic ideas but not quite of the same class as mule. His strength of will, his rugged and inexhaustible energy, his tenacity of purpose, his immovability of atti- and he is not aware that the muchgets the reward of service. He cannot tude, his patience and his resolute ingive the proper service if he and his difference to the slings and arrows of ists. as well as the campaign family are inadequately cared for. He outrageous fortune are long conceded will not be an efficient machine. His qualities, but it appears that the incramped and worded life produces no tellectual power of the mule has reeverflowing abundance of spirit that ceived too little attention. Colonel he may share with the weary and Bensom, the leading farmer of Ellenweak. He is caught from Heaven by dale. Del. has proved beyond a reathe hand of poverty and his chariot nonable doubt that the mule is a most of fire anchored to the root of all evil intelligent animal, for he has trained Sendents of religious life believe that the mules on his plantation to perform part of this poverty is because there farm duties without human guidance. are too many churches to be supported He takes a team of mules to a field The membership of the Christian re-that is to be plowed of harrowed, sees ligion is split and the small fragments that they are securely hitched to the of the Sermon on the Mount will be are not able to pay a living wage proper implement, starts them and the fully understood if we are able to text for reformers, a victim of bacter-The remedy is to cut out the useless mules do the rest. The sagacious and reach the meaning and spirit of the lologists, and a subject for interna-Organize joint or common careful animals take especial pride in

evangelical churches which recognize cape attention the first time over with like and right to be perfect each other as orthodox Christians, were the harrow. If any unusual difficulty put into the crucible of common sense is encountered as the mules drag and common faith, it would seem rea- along they skillfully shift the direcsonable that a new and sufficiently tion of the implement in accord with definite standart could be devised un- a suggestion in a language understood der whose folds all good true believers by mules from the colonel, who takes Year. Mos. Mos. Mos. could rally and henceforth present to his ease in the shade of a tree as he

The discovery of the Delaware man

Christians are fastidious as to what aid materially the back home moveceremonial is most fitting for a meas- ment, for when there are trained ure of eternity? Is there no need for mules like these farm life is attractive missionaries to the crucified minis- and the farmer may spend profitable hours under a big shade tree reading Epictetus and Confucius to his elected President there is to be an The mules will cause no trouble bemonitory word to his plodding friends. yond their feeding and harnessing and inventory of which is sent us by unharnessing. The possibilities of the mule opened up by the Delaware dismule will be a greater source of lib-Beginning at surise on November erty and happiness to the farmer than 1912, the undersigned will sell at the horseless vehicle is to city folks. Of course, the Virginia mule is much abler and much more contented than Salt River, any other, and there may be applied the following described real and per- to him in this connection the remark-

that these methods are not intended and could never be intended to be substitutes for representative government, but are rather measures designed to supplement representative government in States where representative government in States where representative government temporarily ceases to represent the people. The Democrative government temporarily cases to represent the people. The Democrative government temporarily cases to represent the people. The Democrative government temporarily cases to represent the people. The Democrative government temporarily cases to represent the people. The Democrative government temporarily cases to represent the people and nothing remains but boundless take retaliatory measures against our restrictive policy by raising tariff barriers against the importation of the products of our farms and factories. To make such arrangements it was provided that a board or combinative government temporarily cases. To make such arrangements it was provided that a board or combinative government temporarily cases. To make such arrangements it was provided that a board or combinative government temporarily cases. To make such arrangements it was provided that a board or combinative government temporarily cases. To make such arrangements it was provided that a board or combinative government temporarily cases. To make such arrangements it was provided that a board or combinative government temporarily cases. The products of our farms and factories against our restrictive policy by raising tariff that the products of our farms and factories. To make such arrangements it was provided that a board or combinative government temporarily cases. The products of our farms and factories are retaliatory measures against our restrictive policy by raising tariff take retaliatory measures against our restrictive policy by raising tariff take retaliatory measures against our restrictive policy by raising tariff take retaliatory measures against our restrictive policy by raising tariff take retaliatory measur This sale is made for the purpose of meeting obligations recently incurred; also to give the head of the firm also to give the head of the fir welcomed by many unselfish and pa- tion of the poss'bility of our likeness This, at least, will be one bargain triotic citizens as a means of remov-"come early and avoid the rush." The powers conferred upon the board to be a disappointment. Those who Virginia's health department. But, as a means of delaying tariff revision. form of government and, in the long Many citizens still need to learn of of the Tariff Board were, vetoed Demthey were not in accord with the rethat the people have a right to establish sufficient and adequate safe-guards of their control of government.

Dr. Piecker stated that gratifying progress has already been made. It is estimated that 90 per cent of the births and deaths will soon be recorded each month. Yet the earnest cooperation of laymen and physicians faces the winter with tracic fear. The high cost of living is no acsidemic problem for her. It is cold-blooded with the law—the independence of the same to they were not in accord to the face of these facts again."

The PAUPER MINISTER.

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widespread criticism and condemnation. In other words, to the wagebe worth while for Virginians to read remarkable phase of the situation is that the President sincerely believes his own assertions that the present \$15. a week he is lucky. But milk drivers in Chicago get \$23 a week. The His antecedents and associations ar were crystallized during the industrialized politics of two decades ago repeated sophistries of the protectionphrases and catchwords of a generation ago, are no longer eagerly and thoroughly swallowed by the electorate. A few more weeks will bring

vestigations of the board would be

THE CHRISTIAN AIM AND MOTIVE (Selected for The Times-Dispatch.) "Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in Heaven is perect."-Matt. v. 48.

rude awakening to the President.

The deep and essential Christianity text above given. It tells two things: robes. As a Lotheren paster in turning a pretty furror and in roung The Caristian aim perfection; the trieds

Chicago says: "If the creeds of all back to crush any clod that may es- | Christian motive-because if is God-

The Christian aim is this fect, even as your Father which is in tionship, a likeness, a similarity of character. God made the flowers and the insects, but He is not their Father; His children and can become like Him. This is the great truth of the incarna-

that man cannot be compared with God for one is bounded and the other is boundless. And unless there be something in man's nature which truly and low Mockery and a cruel impossibility.

But are there not strong evidence covery are illimitable. The driverless there not something boundless, endless, infinite in man's soul that only God can fill. All history and all experience teaches that "having" can never satising." Man's own performances do not satisfy him. The restlessness of

child and the philosopher alike can had its origin. Its appointment was feel-lies another strong demonstra-

But why should we wish to be perfect? "Because your Father which Then will the immemorial words of by the Payne-Aldrich law were in Heaven is perfect," answered Christ. Not because wordly prudence says it is of the third-term party. "Going, go- interpretation which permitted the better to be moral, better to be honboard to make original investigations, est, better to be just; not because a both at home and abroad, relative to mistaken religionist says give up your the effects of high tariff duties. Soon happiness here in order that you may it became evident, however, that this have more hereafter. All such advice health lines was marked by official so-called nonpartisan commission was is essentially selfish. Well doing and blessedness are often linked together. Congress of Hygiene, where Dr. W. A. favored a real reduction of the tariff But blessedness is not the motive which ceased to support the board and its Christ gave for well doing. Disinterfor the State, read an interesting pa- work, but the stand-patters, who had estedness, mercifulness for the sake of originally opposed an investigation of being merciful; meekness for the sake It was a good sign of what the rest any kind, saw the opportunity and of being meek! not mercy in order that of the world is beginning to think of selzed upon the Tariff Board idea as we may obtain mercy, or meekness that we may inherit the earth, is what in the proverbs, the State itself is not President Taft, despite the fact that the gospel taught. If we were asked, so well aware of its achievements. no one really knew what the findings "Can you select one text in which more any one to succeed him, and this has than in any other this unselfish, dis the need and value of the vital statisocratic tariff b'lls on the ground that interested feature comes forth, it trian Minister at Stockholm, Constanwould be this, "Love ye your enemies, tine Dumba, to accept promotion to the

is necessary if the work is to react the faces the winter with tragic fear. The high cost of living is no accidented by the problem for her. It is cold-blooded and menacing on the door-step. Shaking her faith and souring her pupit in worn rags that shall the pupit in the worn rags that shall the pupit in the worn rags that their Lord when they went vestigations of the board would be man, for rest means death; that the lit cannot be denied that in the eyes based upon the already discredited cost motto of every Christian banner is archical country in Europe offers many forward; that there is no rest in the more advantages than an embassy at more advantages than an embassy at such a distance as that of Washington, present and no satisfaction from his and it may be recalled that Prince own approving conscience. No true John Cantacubene, Baron Kotz Christian goes home at night and save and one or two other ministers in the registration agencies. But it is puzzle of the grocery and meat bills? The thousand delicate and crying working the men will live their earthly hells this winter because the average minister. visions, but tortured by the wracking the registration agencies. But it is 1 legislature should make an ample aping forth to those things which are before, I press towards the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in

> We desire to correct the Colonel in his evident misapprehension as to where Armageddon lies. It is not south of Mason and Dixon's line.

> Once more the sunny side of the street bath charms.

Gertrude Atherton calls Theodore & communicable disease." But don't worry, Dr. Woodrow Wilson will vac cinate you against it.

A granite trust would be a hard one

Some of the evils in Richmond might be helped by the social punishments that people know so well how to advice 'ard enough, the police don't have to do a thing in the world.

Why put the convicts on Virginia coads? Let them help the contractor per- replace a few Richmond streets

> The oyster used to be a succule tional arbitration. Waiter, a dose

### INJUN SUMMER. By John T. McCutcheon.





ome out here tonight when the moon is hangin' over the hill off yonder an' the harvest fields is all it' moonlight, an' you can see the Injuns and the topecs jest as plain as kin ba. You can eh? swimmin' in th' moonlight, an' you can see I knowed you could after a little while.

I knowed you could after a little while.

Jever notice how the leaves turn red 'bout this time o' year? That's jest anuther sign o' redskins. That's when an old Injun sperit gits tired dancin' an' goes up an' squats on a leaf t' rest. Why, I kin hear 'om rustlin' an' whisperin' an' orespin' round among the leaves all the time; an' ever once in a while a leaf gives way under some fat eld Injun ghost and comes floatin' down to the ground. See—here's one now. See how red it is. That's the war paint rubbed off a an Injun ghost, sure's you're born.

Purty soon, all the Injuns'il go marshin' away agin, back to the happy huntin' ground, but next year you'll see 'em troopin' back—th' sky jest hany with em' and their campfires smolderin' away jest like they

### CONSTANTINE DUMBA REFUSES PROMOTION

Austrian Diplomat Does Not
Want Ambassadorship at
Washington.

By LA MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.
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HE fact that Baron Hengolmuller remained here for eighteen or twenty years as the representative of Austria-Hungary renders it a matter of extreme difficulty to find been shown by the refusal of the Aus-

washington declined in solon before it was finally accepted by Count Cassina.

Probably the only two foreign ambassadors who are thoroughly content with their post at Washington, and who prefer remaining there, to being transfered to some European capital, are James Bryce and George Makhmetieff, the representatives of Great Britian and Russia respectively.

Whereas American diplomats exercise the utmost discretion after leaving office, and resist every temptation to reveal official secrets, even when such disclosures would relieve them of the popular imputation of having failed in their mission. France's former envoys, and ex-ministers are acquiring an unpleasant name for disloyalty of this nature to the State.

In a letter published in the Petit Comtols, and reprinted in all the principal organs of the Parisan press, he endeavors to exculpate himself from the imputation of having been taken unawares by Augita's startlingly sudden annexation of the Ottoman previnces of Herzegovina and Bosina in October 1968, by declaring that he had for several months previously repeatedly warned the French government, notably Stephen Pichon, then Minister of Foreign Affairs, of what was about to take place. The last occasion on which he advised Pichon of the impending annexation, was in a dispatch dated the 25th of September. He adde that the matter was known to all of his colleagues, that is to say, the ambassadors of the other Great Powers accredited to the court of Vienna.

While this certainty exculpates Cresier of the accusation of having been caught napping, it places the French sovernment, and especially its Department of Foreign Affairs, in a very awkward position. For when the affance were the most solema assurances that they had been taken entirely by surprise. It may be remembered that there was a very strong popular feeling throughout Europe against Augitis at the time, for having proceeded to this high-handed act of annexation, in define of the terms of the Treaty of Berlin of 1873, and that the

Lord Denbigh's famous library is to come under the hammer in London to-wards the middle of December, and will doubtless attract many bibliophiles and doubtless attract many bibliophiles and collectors from this country, comprising as it does the famous Downing library, formed in the eighteenth century by Thomas Pennant. The features of the Downing collection are thousands of rare volumes dealing with America, including a copy of the first edition of Captain John Smith's "History of Virginia." The Denbigh library likewise containing several of the first editions and manuscripts of

Lord Denblgn, who is the commandin the United States as the Commanding officer of the Honorable Artillery
Company, the principal military organization of the City of London, and the
oldest, in fact, in the United Kingdom,
is far from rich, his connection with
numerous mercantile enterprises, in-

dom. That is way
his books.
At one time Lord Denbigh put forward pretensions to be descended from
ward pretensions of Hapsburg, ancestors of At one time Lord Denoign put for-ward pretensions to be descended from the Counts of Hapsburg, ancestors of the reigning dynasty of Austria, and on the strength thereof assumed the title of Count of Hapsburg, and even caused the Austrian cagle and the coronet of the Counts of Hapsburg to nection between the Hapsburgs and the Fieldings, the earl dropped the Hapsburg arms, and the title of count, and caused the elimination of all reference to the Hapsburg in the pages of "Burke" devoted to his family.

The real founder of the House of Fielding seems to have been a certain William Fielding, who acquired by marriage with the daughter and helicus of Robert de Newham in the reign of Edward III. the Manor of Newham Paddox, which has ever since been the principal country seat of the House of Fielding, that is to say, for near 500 years.

right, 1912, by the Brentwood Company.)

### Voice of the People

vision: "And wild water fowl may be shot at night in the countles of Essex, Richmond and Westmoreland." Just think of it! This is no more than a legislative crime.

While most stringent measures for the protection of wild water fowl are being supported by the experts of the world before the United States Congress, while one of our national repretatives as chairman of the Committee of Agriculture is doing all he can to protect our game, some few individuals from the counties of Essex, Richmond and Westmoreland slips this unconceivable law over on the people in order that they, in those three counties, might slaughter blinded game at night while the ducks are huddled together on the marshes! Just think of it! What sportsmen these must be in Essex, Richmond and Westmoreland Counties.

The thought of such a deed is enough to make the cheek of a real sportsman flush with shame and a pot hunter chuckle with delight. Potherers did we say? It is inconceivables.

tors to undo by stroke of the pen what it has taken years and thousands of dollars to accomplish—the partial protection of game.

The people of Virginia should know the facts in this case. It is beyond all understanding.

GAME DEPARTMENT VIRGINIA understanding.
ME DEPARTMENT VIRGINIA.
AUDUBON SOCIETY.
J. C. Wise, Chairman.



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strong bank, which is con-ducted under the supervision of both the State and Federal

of both the State and Federal Governments, has proved of distinct service to the people of Richmond and vicinity.

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